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McKENZIE et al.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment and Response is filed in response to the Office Action having a mailing date of July 28, 2000. Enclosed herewith is a request for a two month extension of time, with the requisite fee, to extend the time for responding from October 28, 2000, to December 28, 2000. No additional fees are believed to be due in connection with this response, but in the event that fees are due, please debit Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

Please amend and reconsider the above-identified patent application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows:

On page 1, line 5, after "1997," please insert –now Patent No. 5,989,552,–.

On page 1, line 10, after "1994", please insert –now abandoned–.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 18, 23, 47, and 52-69, without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter therein.

Please amend Claims 1, 11-13, 21, 25, 27, 34, 38, 43, and 49, without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter therein.